

Summary of U.S. State Laws on Electronic Waste and Disposal Bans

The table below offers links as well as basic information on various laws regarding electronic waste and electronic disposal bans.

Legend

† Advanced Recycling Fee

* Extended Producer Responsibility



Government



Consumers/Households

Non-Profit Organizations



Manufacturers








Businesses















Schools





Municipalities




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



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Connecticut (CT)	Department of Environmental Protection	E-Waste	Substitute HB 7249/ Act 07-189* Title 22a; Ch. 446n	Electronics Recycling Update Presentation	Jul. 6, 2007	Jun, 2010	•	•	•	•	•		•							 <7 items	
		Disposal Ban	HB 7249; Public Act 07-189	-	Jul 6, 2007	Jan. 1, 2011	•	•	•	•	•										
Georgia (GA)	Georgia Department of Natural Resources; Environmental Protection Division	E-Waste	Senate Resolution 83	The Status of Unwanted Computers and Scrap Electronics in Georgia			Senate Study Committee on Green Information Technology to study Georgia's ewaste and make recommendations; by Dec. 15, 2009														
		Disposal Ban	-	-	-	-															
Hawaii (HI)	Hawaii State Department of Health	E-Waste	Hawaii SB 2843: Hawaii Electronic Waste and Television Recycling and Recovery Law*	Consumer Info: Hawaii Electronic Recycling and Recovery Law	Jul, 2008	Jan 1, 2010	•	•	•	•	•		•							   	
		Disposal Ban	-	-	-	-	•	•	•	•	•	•									








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Illinois (IL)	Illinois Environmental Protection Agency	E-Waste	Illinois Public Act 095-0959/SB 2313: Electronic Products Recycling & Reuse Act *	How to Dispose of Your Residential Waste	Sep, 2008	Jan 1, 2010	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
		Disposal Ban	SB 2313: Electronic Products Recycling and Reuse Act	-	Sept. 2008	Jan. 1, 2012	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
Indiana (IN)	Indiana Department of Environmental Management	E-Waste	HB 1589: Indiana Electronic Waste Program *	Electronic Waste Program Overview	Jul, 2009	Apr 1, 2010	•	•	•	•	•	•		•					•	   <100 emp.	
		Disposal Ban	HB 1589: Indiana Electronic Waste Program	-	Jul. 2009	Jan. 1, 2011	•	•	•	•	•		•								
Kentucky (KY) PROPOSED	Kentucky Division of Waste Management	E-Waste	SB 160 (BR 1276)* PROPOSED	-		Jan. 1, 2011	○	○	○	○		○	○				○				
		Disposal Ban	-	-	-	-															




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Maine (ME)	Maine Department of Environmental Protection; Bureau of Remediation and Waste Management	E-Waste	Title 38, §1610: Sale of Consumer Products Affecting the Environment: Electronic Waste*	Maine's Household Television and Computer Monitor Recycling Law	2009	Jan. 1, 2010	•	•	•	•	•		•	•				•			
		Disposal Ban	Chapter 38, §1306	-	2006	Apr. 1, 2000		•													
Maryland (MD)	Maryland Department of the Environment	E-Waste	Maryland HB 488: Statewide Electronics Recycling Program*	Frequently Asked Questions – Manufacturers	Oct, 2007	Jan 1, 2008	•	•	•	•	•										
		Disposal Ban	-	-	-	-															
Massachusetts (MA) PROPOSED	Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection	E-Waste	H4374, Chapter 210: Recycling of Discarded Electronic Products* PROPOSED	About Electronics Recycling	-	Jan. 1, 2011	○	○	○	○	○		○	○				○	○		
		Disposal Ban	310 CMR 19.017: Waste Disposal Ban	-		Apr. 1, 2000		•													
Michigan (MI)	Department of Natural Resources and Environment	E-Waste	Michigan SB 897: Electronic Waste Takeback Program*	What Do Generators Need to Know About Electronic Waste?	Dec, 2008	Apr 1, 2010	•	•	•	•	•		•							  <7 items	
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Minnesota (MN)	Minnesota Pollution Control Agency	E-Waste	HF 854 Minnesota Statutes*	Recycle Consumer Electronics	May, 2007	Sep 1, 2007	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•					•		
		Disposal Ban	Statute 115A.9565 CRT Prohibition	-	2003	Jul. 1, 2006		•													
Missouri (MO)	Missouri Department of Natural Resources	E-Waste	Missouri SB 720: Manufacturer Responsibility and Consumer Convenience Equipment Collection and Recovery Act*	Ready to Recycle		Jul 1, 2009			•	•	•	•	•		•	•					
		Disposal Ban	-	-	-	-															
Montana (MT)	Montana Department of Environmental Quality	E-Waste	-	-	-	-															
		Disposal Ban	HB 555	Why Recycle Electronics?	Apr. 2007		Establishes a public education program for household hazardous waste recycling														
Nebraska (NE) PROPOSED	Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality	E-Waste	LB 644: Electronics Recycling Act* PROPOSED	-		Jan. 31, 2011	○	○	○	○	○										
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Nevada (NV)	Nevada Division of Environmental Protection; Bureau of Waste Management	E-Waste	Nevada AB 426	Fact Sheet: Managing Your Electronic Wastes	Jul. 1, 2009		Bill to conduct an ewaste and disposal study of Nevada and surrounding states, and will make recommendations before Jul. 7, 2011														
		Disposal Ban																			
New Hampshire (NH)	New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services	E-Waste	-	-	-	-															
		Disposal Ban	HB 338 * (amended bill); HB 1455 * (original bill)	-	May 24, 2006	Jun. 22, 2009	•	•	•	•	•								•		
New Jersey (NJ)	New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection	E-Waste	New Jersey A3343 * (amended bill); A3572 * (original bill)	Ewaste Brochure	2008	Jan 1, 2010	•	•	•	•	•									  <50 emp.	
		Disposal Ban	Assembly Bill 3572: Electronic Waste Recycling Act	-	Jan. 15, 2008	Jan. 1, 2010	•	•	•	•	•										
New Mexico (NM)	New Mexico Environment Department	E-Waste	SJM 11	-	Feb. 2, 2008		Created a task force to study New Mexico's ewaste and make recommendations by Dec. 1, 2008														
		Disposal Ban	-	-	-	-															

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New York City (NYC)	NYCWasteLe\$\$	E-Waste	Electronic Equipment Collection, Recycling and Reuse Act: New York City Local Law 13 * and New York City Local Law 21 *	Tips for Your Home: Electronics	April 1, 2008	Jul 1, 2009	•	•	•	•	•	•	•							     	
		Disposal Ban	New York City Local Law 13	-	2008	Jul 1, 2009	•	•	•	•	•	•	•								
New York State (NY)	New York State Department of Environmental Conservations	E-Waste	New York State Wireless Recycling Act * Electronic Equipment Recycling and Reuse: A 11308/S 7988, Title 27 *	Guidance for Households	Sep. 13, 2006 May 27 2010	Jan. 1, 2007 Apr. 1, 2012	— •	— •	— •	— •	— •	— •	— •	— •	• —		—	—	—	       	
		Disposal Ban	Electronic Recycling and Reuse: A 11308/S 7988, Title 27 *	-	May 27 2010	Jan. 1, 2012	•	•	•	•	•	•	•								

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North Carolina (NC)	North Carolina Division of Pollution Prevention and Environmental Assistance	E-Waste	North Carolina S1492* (Omnibus e-waste bill); North Carolina H819 v. 5* (adds TVs to program)	Environ. Issues/ General Information	2007/2008	Jan. 2010	•	•	•	•	•	•	•								
		Disposal Ban	S1492, Section 15	-	Aug. 31, 2007	Jan. 2012	•	•	•	•	•	•									
Ohio (OH) PROPOSED	Ohio Environmental Protection Agency	E-Waste	HB 447* PROPOSED	-		April 1, 2011	○	○	○	○	○		○								
		Disposal Ban	-	-																	
Oklahoma (OK)	Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality	E-Waste	Oklahoma SB 1631: Oklahoma Computer Equipment Recovery Act*	Consumer eCycling in Oklahoma	May, 2008	Jan 1, 2009			•	•	•										
		Disposal Ban	-	-	-	-															
Oregon (OR)	Oregon Department of Environmental Quality	E-Waste	Oregon HB 2626*	Disposal Ban of Covered Electronic Devices	Apr, 2007	Jan. 1, 2009	•	•	•	•	•									  	
		Disposal Ban	HB2626, Section 15	-	Jun. 7, 2007	Jan. 1, 2010	•	•	•	•	•										

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Pennsylvania (PA) PROPOSED	Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection	E-Waste	HB 708: Covered Device Recycling Act* and HB 409: Manufacturer Responsibility and Consumer Collection and Recover Act* PROPOSED	-	-	-	○		○	○	○										
		Disposal Ban	HB 708: Covered Device Recycling Act* PROPOSED	-	-	-	○		○	○	○										
Rhode Island (RI)	State of Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management	E-Waste	Electronic Waste Prevention, Reuse and Recycling Act: H7880* and SB 2631*	-	June 2008	Jan 1, 2009	●	●	●	●	●									 	
		Disposal Ban	SB 2631: Electronic Waste Prevention, Reuse and Recycling Act	-	Jul. 2006	Jul. 1, 2008	●	●	●	●	●										
South Carolina (SC)	South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control	E-Waste	HB4093: Manufacturer Responsibility and Consumer Convenience Information Technology Equipment Collection and Recovery Act*	FYI: Electronic Waste Fact Sheet	-	Jul. 1, 2011	●	●	●	●	●		●								
		Disposal Ban	HB4093: Manufacturer Responsibility and Consumer Information Equipment Collection and Recovery Act*	-	-	Jul. 1, 2011	●	●	●	●	●		●								

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Texas (TX)*	Texas Commission on Environmental Quality	E-Waste	80(R) HB 2714: Manufacturer Responsibility and Consumer Convenience Computer Equipment Collection and Recovery Act	Take Care of Texas, Jul 2008	2007	Sep 1, 2008			•	•	•										
		Disposal Ban	-	-	-	-															
Utah (UT) PROPOSED	Utah Department of Environmental Quality	E-Waste	HB 153, Part 12: Consumer Electronic Recycling Program* PROPOSED	-	-		○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○							
		Disposal Ban	-	-	-	-															
Vermont (VT)	Vermont Department of Environmental Conservation	E-Waste	S. 77: An Act Relating to the Recycling and Disposal of Electronic Waste*	Where to Reuse and Recycle your Electronics	Apr, 2010	Jan 1, 2011	•	•	•	•	•	•	•							  	
		Disposal Ban	-	-	-	-															
Virginia (VA)	Virginia Department of Environmental Quality	E-Waste	HB 344 Chapter 541: Computer Recovery and Recycling Act*	-	2007	Jan 1, 2009			•	•	•										
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Washington (WA)	State of Washington: Department of Ecology	E-Waste	SB 6428: Electronic Product Recycling*	E-Cycle Washington: FAQ	Jul, 2006	Jan 1, 2009	•	•	•	•	•									    	
		Disposal Ban	-	-	-	-															
West Virginia (WV)	e-Cycling West Virginia	E-Waste	West Virginia SB 746 Sub1*	-	Apr, 2008	Jan 1, 2009	•	•	•	•	•										
		Disposal Ban	-	-	-	-															
Wisconsin (WI)	Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources	E-Waste	Wisconsin SB 107*	E-Cycle Wisconsin	Oct, 2009	Feb. 1, 2010	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•					•		
		Disposal Ban	-	-	-	-															